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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**PATENT**

In re Application of :George M. Alleman, Jr., et al.  
Title :All-Terrain Undercarriage  
Serial No. :09/411,106  
Filed :October 4, 1999  
Group Art Unit :1725  
Our Docket :L-12396

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed July 31, 2001. This application is on behalf of other than a small entity. Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is \$320.00. The required fee is enclosed herewith.

Applicant believes that no extension term is required; however, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time. If the submitted fee is insufficient for the Notice of Appeal and/or for an extension of time, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 22-0347. This sheet is submitted in triplicate to facilitate any such charge.

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